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AS ſeveral Artificers and Manufacturers, Subjects of Great Britain, have from Time to Time gone into Foreign Countries to exerciſe their ſeveral Callings, contrary to the Laws of theſe Kingdoms; The following Abſtracts of Two Acts of Parliament of George the Firſt and George the Second, to prevent ſuch Practices, are publiſhed for the Information of all Perſons who may be ignorant of the Penalties they may incur by Diſobedience to them.—And it will be obſerved, that they extend to thoſe who are any ways concerned or inſtrumental in the Sending or Enticing Artificers or Manufacturers out of theſe Kingdoms, and in the Exportation of the Tools and Inſtruments uſed by them, as well as to the Artificers or Manufacturers themſelves.

Statute 5 George I. *Chap.* 27.

IF any Perſon ſhall contract with, entice, or ſolicit, any Artificer in Wool, Iron, Steel, Braſs, or other Metal, Clock-maker, Watch-maker, or any other Artificer of Great Britain, to go into Foreign Countries, out of the King's Dominions, and ſhall be convicted thereof upon Indictment or Information, in any of the Courts at Weſtminſter, or at the Aſſizes or Quarter-Seſſions, he ſhall be fined any Sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED POUNDS or the firſt Offence, and ſhall be impriſoned Three Months, and till the Fine be paid. And if any Perſon having been once convict, ſhall offend again, he ſhall be fined at the Diſcretion of the Court, and impriſoned Twelve Months, and till the Fine be paid.

If any of the King's Subjects, being ſuch Artificers, ſhall go into any Country out of His Majeſty's Dominions, to exerciſe or teach the ſaid Trades to Foreigners; and if any of the King's Subjects in any ſuch Foreign Country, exerciſing any of the ſaid Trades, ſhall not return into this Realm within Six Months after Warning given by the Ambaſſador, Miniſter or Conſul of Great Britain, in the Country where ſuch Artificers ſhall be, or by any Perſon authoriſed by ſuch Ambaſſador, &c. or by one of the Secretaries of State, and from henceforth inhabit within this Realm; ſuch Perſons ſhall be incapable of taking any Legacy, or of being an Executor or Adminiſtrator, and of taking any Lands, &c. within this Kingdom, by Deſcent, Deviſe or Purchaſe; and ſhall forfeit all Lands, Goods, &c. within this Kingdom, to His Majeſty's Uſe, and ſhall be deemed Alien, and out of His Majeſty's Protection.

Upon Complaint made upon Oath before any Juſtice of Peace that any Perſon is endeavouring to ſeduce any ſuch Artificer, or that any ſuch Artificer hath contracted, or is preparing to go out of His Majeſty's Dominions, for the Purpoſes aforeſaid; ſuch Juſtice may ſend his Warrant to bring the Perſon complaned of before him, or before ſome other Juſtice; and if it ſhall appear by the Oath of one Witneſs, or by Confeſſion, that he was guilty of any of the ſaid Offences, ſuch Juſtice may bind him to appear at the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions: And if ſuch Perſon ſhall refuſe to give Security, the Juſtice may commit him to Goal till the next Aſſizes or Quarter Seſſions, and until he ſhall be delivered by due Courſe of Law. And if any ſuch Artificer ſhall be convicted upon Indictment of any ſuch Promiſe, Contract, or Preparation to go beyond the Seas for the Purpoſe aforeſaid, he ſhall give ſuch Security to the King, not to depart out of His Majeſty's Dominions, as ſuch Court ſhall think reaſonable, and ſhall be impriſoned till Security given.

If any of the above Offences ſhall be committed in Scotland, the ſame ſhall be proſecuted in the Court of Juſticiary, or the Circuits there.

Statute 23 George II. *Chap.* 13.

IF any Perſon ſhall contract with, or endeavour to ſeduce any Artificer in Wool, Mohair, Cotton or Silk, or in Iron, Steel, Braſs, or other Metal, or any Clock-maker, Watch maker, or any other Artificer in any other of the Manufactures of Great Britain or Ireland, to go out of this Kingdom or Ireland, into any Foreign Country, not within the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, and ſhall be convicted upon Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Weſtminſter, or by Indictment at the Aſſizes or General Gaol Delivery for the County, &c. wherein ſuch Offence ſhall be committed in England, or by Indictment in the Court of Juſticiary, or any of the Circuit Courts in Scotland, or by Indictment or Information in the King's Bench at Dublin, if ſuch Offence be committed in Ireland; the Perſon ſo convicted ſhall, for every Artificer contracted with, or ſeduced, forfeit FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the Common Goal of the County or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Twelve Calendar Months, and until Forfeiture be paid: And in Caſe of a ſubſequent Offence of the ſame Kind, the Perſons ſo again offending ſhall forfeit, for every Perſon contracted with or ſeduced, ONE THOUSAND POUNDS, and ſhall ſuffer Impriſonment in the Common Gaol of the County or Stewartry wherein ſuch Offender ſhall be convicted, for Two Years, and until ſuch Forfeiture be paid.

If any Perſon in Great Britain or Ireland ſhall put on Board any Ship or Boat not bound directly to ſome Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to ſome other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain, any ſuch Tools or Utenſils as are commonly uſed in, or proper for the Preparing, Working up or

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or Finishing of the Woollen or Silk Manufacturers or any Part of such Tools, he shall for every Offence forfeit all such Tools, or Parts thereof, put on Board, and TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered by Action of Debt, &c. in any Court of Record at Westminster, or in the Court of Session in Scotland, or at any of the Four Courts in Dublin respectively, wherein no Essoin, &c. shall be allowed.

It shall be lawful for any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, or for any Officer of the Revenue in Ireland, to seize and secure, in some of His Majesty's Warehouses, all such Tools or Utensils prohibited to be exported, as such Officer shall find on Board any Vessel not bound directly to some Port in Great Britain or Ireland, or to some other of the Dominions of the Crown of Great Britain; and all Tools so seized shall, after Condemnation, be publickly sold to the best Bidder; and one Moiety of the Produce shall be to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Officer who shall seize and secure the same.

If the Captain of any Vessel in Great Britain or Ireland knowingly permit any of the said Tools, prohibited to be exported, to be put on Board his Vessel, he shall for every such Offence forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as the Penalties inflicted upon Persons exporting the Tools; and if the Vessel belongs to His Majesty, the Captain shall not only forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, but shall also forfeit his Employment, and be incapable of any Employment under His Majesty.

If any Officer of the Customs in Great Britain, or of the Revenue in Ireland, take, or knowingly suffer to be taken, any Entry outward, or sign any Cocket or Sufferance for the Shipping or Exporting of any of the said Tools, or knowingly suffer the same to be done, he shall forfeit ONE HUNDRED POUNDS, to be recovered as aforesaid, and also forfeit his Office, and be incapable of any Office under His Majesty.

One Moiety of the Forfeitures shall be applied to the Use of His Majesty, and the other Moiety to the Use of the Person who shall sue for the same.

Hague, July 15.

His Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, with Her Royal Highness the Princess, set out Yesterday Morning for Breda.

Victualling-Office, July 11, 1785.

THE Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 8th of August next they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (sealed up) and treat with such Persons as will supply Fresh Beef and Sea Provisions to such of His Majesty's Ships and Vessels as may touch at Killybeggs, in the County of Donegal, in the Kingdom of Ireland: Which will be paid for by Bills in Course, with the Addition of the Discount, so as to make the Prices equal to Ready Money.

No Tenders will be attended to that are not delivered before One o'Clock, nor unless they are made agreeably to the Conditions of the Contracts, which may be seen at the Secretary's Office at this Office, or by applying to the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Killybeggs.

Navy Pay-Office, Broad-street, July 19, 1785.

NOTICE is hereby given, That Certificates will be ready to be delivered by the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, on Monday the 25th Instant, for all Bills brought into his Office, on or before the 14th Instant, to be subscribed into Bank Annuities.

General Post-Office, July 16, 1785.

MR. PALMER's Plan for conveying His Majesty's Mails every Day in the Week (Sundays excepted) will, on Monday the 25th Instant, be extended to Liverpool, Manchester, Nottingham, and Leeds, including Bradford, Halifax, and Rochdale, and the intermediate Towns between those Places and London.

By Command of the Post-Master General,

Anthony Todd, *Sec.*

THE Partnership between Benjamin Mayne and Anthony Waithman, of Wheeler-street, Spital-fields, Dyers, being this Day dissolved with their mutual Consent; Notice is hereby given that from henceforth the said Business will be carried on by the said Benjamin Mayne solely; and all Persons indebted to or having any Demands on the said Copartnership Trade, are desired to apply to the said Benjamin Mayne, of Wheeler-street aforesaid, who is duly authorized to receive and discharge the same. Witness their Hands the 11th Day of July, 1785.

Benjamin Mayne.
A. Waithman.

WHEREAS the Copartnership between John Brewer and James Soundy, of the Royal Hotel, Long-acre, in the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middlesex, is this Day, by mutual Consent, dissolved: All Persons having any Demands on the said Copartnership are desired to send in their Accounts to Mr. Brewer, at the Hotel aforesaid, who will discharge the same; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to pay Mr. Brewer, who is authorized to receive and discharge the same.

John Brewer.
James Soundy.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Ralph Harle, late of the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne, Gentleman, deceased, remaining unsatisfied, are to come in and prove their respective Debts before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 10th Day of November next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PUrsuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Isaac Chessell, late of Broad-street in the Parish of St. Dunstan Stepney in the County of Middlesex, Shoemaker, deceased, are to come in before John Eames, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Ralph Jackson, late of Snow-hill, London, Linen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 23d Day July instant, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon precisely, at the Paul's Head Tavern, Cateaton-street, to take into Consideration a Proposal made by James Dunbar, Esq; to pay to Messrs. Heathcote, Simpson and Jackson, 155l. on his being discharged from a Debt of 578l. 4s. due to them upon two Bills of Exchange, indorsed by the said James Dunbar, and delivered in Payment by the Bankrupt to Heathcote and Co. and for which Debt, together with 54l. 1s. Costs, the said James Dunbar now stands charged in Execution in the Fleet Prison; and to pay to the said Assignees 45l. on their discharging him from another Debt of 37l. 3s. 6d. owing by the said James Dunbar to the Bankrupt's Estate, for which last mentioned Debt, together with 31l. 16s. 6d. Costs, he also stands charged in Execution; and to authorize the said Assignees and Heathcote and Co. to accept or reject such Proposal.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Michael Crausaz, late of Old Compton-street, in the Parish of St. Ann Soho in the County of Middlesex, Tobacconist, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Twenty-five Days, to be computed from the 16th Day of July instant: This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, intend to meet on the 10th of August next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself between the Hours of Eleven and One o'Clock of the same Day, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts may then and there come to prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Beatſon, of Botolph-lane, in the City of London, Orange-merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 26th of July inſtant, and on the 3d and 30th Days of Auguſt next, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Gale, of Philpot-lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Hurford, late of Wellington in the County of Somerſet, White Bread-baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 2d, 16th, and 30th of Auguſt next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the White Hart Inn in Wellington aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is requried to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Meſſ. Cridland and Weech, Attornies, in Milverton, Somerſet.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Sturmy, of Blackman-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Mary Newington in the County of Surrey, Coach-maker, and he being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 23d and 30th Days of July inſtant, and on the 30th Day of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Vincent, Southwark.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Ann Biddulph, of Whitechapel in the County of Middleſex, Leather-ſeller, and ſhe being declared a Bankrupt is hereby required to ſurrender herſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, of the major Part of them, on the 23d Day of July inſtant, and on the 2d and 30th Days of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of her Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh her Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of her Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of her Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Leigh, No. 5. Inner Temple-lane.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Strudwicke and John William Steele, of Gracechurch-ſtreet, London, Haberdaſhers, Dealers and Copartners, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 25th of July inſtant, and on the 13th and 30th of Auguſt next, at Twelve at Noon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. King, No. 9. Clement's-inn.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Hopkinſon, of Fleet-ſtreet, London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 25th of July inſtant, at Twelve at Noon, at Guildhall, London, in order to receive the Proof of a Debt under the ſaid Commiſſion; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Harris and Samuel Harris, otherwiſe Henry Nelthropp, late of Dowgate-hill, London, Merchants and Copartners, trading under the Firm of J. Harris and Company, intend to meet on the 10th Day of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, (by Adjournment from the 18th Inſtant) at Guildhall, London, to take the laſt Examination of the ſaid Bankrupts; when and where they are required to ſurrender themſelves, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh their Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, and, with thoſe who have proved their Debts, are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of the ſaid Bankrupts Certificate.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Voyſey, late of the City of New Sarum in the County of Wilts, Mercer, Woollen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, deceaſed, intend to meet on the 11th of Auguſt next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Black Horſe Inn, in New Sarum aforeſaid, to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Bradford, late of Doncaſter in the County of York, Upholſterer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th Day of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Red Lion Inn in Doncaſter aforeſaid, to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Edward Lulham, of Ticehurſt in the County of Suſſex, Shop-keeper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 23d Day of Auguſt next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Foy, of Cornhill, London, Glover, intend to meet on the 10th of Auguſt next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, (by Adjournment from the 16th Day of July inſtant) at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Clarke, late of the Town of Cambridge, Hatter, Hoſier, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 10th of October next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, (and not on the 27th Inſtant, as before advertiſed, in order to make a Dividend of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Speck, of Newgate-ſtreet, London, Wine-merchant, have certified to the Rt Hon. Edward Lord Thurlow, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Joſeph Speck hath in all Things conformed according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that, by virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 9th Day of Auguſt next.

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